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Folks

Here's a first draft on our Kankakee response. Even if we don't release it, useful to have handy. Your comments, please.

Thanks

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MARCH 15 DRAFT

EPA Responds to Kankakee Pipeline Spill

Chicago (March 15, 2014) The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency continues its response to an estimated 500 gallon pipeline spill that occurred on Friday, March 14, near Kankakee, IL.

To date, EPA has conducted the following operations:

Performed air monitoring in the release zone, and in the residential area to the north; no public health risks have been found;

ANYTHING ELSE?

EPA does not yet have an estimated cost nor expected cleanup end date;

EPA continues to work with Illinois EPA, Limestone Fire Department, Kankakee County EMA, Kankakee Police Department and the United States Coast Guard.

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From: Rowan, Anne
Sent: Saturday, March 15, 2014 10:41 AM
To: Arcaute, Francisco; Ruesch, Paul; Johnson, Mark; Kelley, Jeff; Bouchee-Cureton, Yolanda
Cc: Borries, Samuel; Maguire, Andrew; Atkociunas, Paul; Ribordy, Michael
Subject: Re: Buckeye Pipeline - Kankakee Gasoline Spill

Cisco is heading in to the office and will be there soon to assist with press issues. If needed, he can go to the scene.

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Sent: Saturday, March 15, 2014 10:33:31 AM
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Folks. Just got off the phone with Andy. The JIC is coming together as we speak. The local county will be sending a PIO. I am not currently needed at the site, although this may change. I will work with our team, county, Buckeye, on any related press releases. My BB is 312 898 2042. My cell is 213 703 1635. Thanks. F

From: Ruesch, Paul
Sent: Saturday, March 15, 2014 10:23:39 AM
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Mark & Cisco - Thanks for agreeing to help!

Andy Maguire (cell: 312-758-8672) is now in charge of this incident and needs some remote assistance from PIO (Cisco) and ATSDR (Mark). A press article appeared this morning with a quote from the Health Dept. official recommending residents test their water. The responding agencies/PRP are forming a JIC. Andy anticipates they will need to get some info out today to the public. It is my understanding that they plan to formulate a plan to get out and sample people's water.

I am attaching the current Press Fact Sheet distributed yesterday and will forward the initial POLREP in my next email.

Cisco and Mark - Please look at the information available so far (POLREP, press articles) and call Andy on his cell for instructions.

http://www.daily-journal.com/news/local/condition-of-water-next-issue-after-gas-spill-stopped/article_2d22b179-6157-5188-9858-21ac6ed701a0.html

By the way, there is a related story today in the same paper talking about the regional water supply:
http://www.daily-journal.com/news/local/epa-urges-regional-water-protection/article_757652fa-1d22-5b59-995b-b85a7c007647.html

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